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FROM: Chief, Munich Liaison Base		MICROFILM
SUBJECT: CATIDE Hans RECHENBERG [ ]		

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

REFERENCE: BONN 8494, April 1965

1. While we agree that Subject should remain on KUBARK's CI suspect list, we regret to say that our review of his file and our attempts to trace his various contacts has not been too rewarding. The files on two of his contacts: Winfried MUELLER [ ] and Dr. Franz RADEMACHER [ ] contain allegations of ties to eastern intelligence but there is really nothing that is substantial. MUELLER is well known to Bonn because of his dealings with [ ] and our files contain no additional information. RADEMACHER has been on the CATIDE payroll since 1962 and is run by RECHENBERG. We have no post-1962 information in the RADEMACHER file.

2. Munich files contain the following traces on Francois GENOUD

a) PROB 1411, July 1958: FRAN PROB traces at that time showed GENOUD to be Swiss literary agent who helped CARAVEL to escape into Switzerland after CARAVEL defected from the Abwehr in Belgium during World War II. Information dated 1953 indicated that GENOUD sold "HITLER's Table Conversations" to the FLAMMARION Publishing Company in Paris, having acquired the power of attorney from the executors of Martin BORMANN's estate.

b) ESZA 1142, 14 March 1957 (cited in EGMW 10959, 16 August 1961): Francois GENOUD was then living at Chalet Rosemont, Villars sur Ollon, Canton Vaud, Switzerland. GENOUD was then connected with the Association Internationale des Amis du Monde Arabs Libre. (Source was INGOT-4).

c) OFPA 51177, 16 March 1960 (cited in EGMW 10959, 16 August 1961): At that time GENOUD was living at Bd. de la Foret, Lausanne, Switzerland and was administrator of the Banque Commerciale Arabs. (Source was KUBARK agent).

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✓d) OFFA 51892, 22 April 1960 (cited in EGMW 10959, 16 August 1961): Francois is listed as a RECHENBERG contact, a specialist in Arab affairs and an ex-Abwehr agent. (Source was [ ])

✓e) EGMA 58837, 21 May 1962: RADEMACHER after being recruited by RECHENBERG apparently sent his reports to RECHENBERG through GENOUD.

✓f) EGMA 61266, 12 February 1963: RECHENBERG apparently used GENOUD occasionally to keep in touch with Mohammed YOUSFI alias Saleh FILALI ([ ] YOUSFI was formerly head of the Algerian security service and later (June 1964) Algerian ambassador to Switzerland.

✓g) EGFA 39087, 26 March 1963: GENOUD represented the Algerian government in dealing with his friend CARAVEL on the question of police training for the Algerians.

3. We have no pertinent information on other RECHENBERG contacts.

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